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Senate Resolution 769

By: Senators Johnson of the 1st, Harp of the 29th, Moody of the 56th and Hill of the 32nd

ADOPTED SENATE

A RESOLUTION

- 1 Urging the Board of Regents of the University System of Georgia to consider creation of a
- 2 program of granting undergraduate course credit to entering freshman students who have
- 3 successfully completed the curriculum and examinations leading to an international
- 4 baccalaureate diploma; and for other purposes.
- 5 WHEREAS, the international baccalaureate diploma program of the International
- 6 Baccalaureate Organization is widely recognized as a standard of excellence for high school
- 7 education; and
- 8 WHEREAS, the provision of appropriate incentives is likely to increase the number of
- 9 Georgia students participating in this outstanding program; and
- 10 WHEREAS, for this purpose certain other states have successfully established programs
- 11 granting undergraduate course credit to entering freshman students who have successfully
- 12 completed the curriculum and examinations leading to an international baccalaureate
- diploma; and
- 14 WHEREAS, the control and management of the University System of Georgia is vested in
- 15 the Board of Regents.
- 16 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE that this body hereby urges
- 17 the Board of Regents of the University System of Georgia to consider creation of a program
- 18 of granting undergraduate course credit to entering freshman students who have successfully
- 19 completed the curriculum and examinations leading to an international baccalaureate
- diploma.

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1 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Secretary of the Senate is authorized and directed

- 2 to transmit an appropriate copy of this resolution to the chancellor of the university system
- 3 for purposes of distribution to the members of the Board of Regents.